



# TSB Family Readiness Review

*One Team, One Mission*

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## FRG Sponsored SSI Children's Holiday Party

Friday, December the 2<sup>nd</sup> from 6:00-7:30 p.m. at the McWhorter Army Reserve Center (near Gate 4)

Price:

Military Personnel: Free  
Per Family (civilian or military): \$5  
See your unit POC for tickets and more information.

Outstanding food catered by "Lil Pigs BBQ"!

Children's Activities, Dinner, Santa Claus, and more!

## COMMAND TEAM CORNER

*LTC Brents & CSM Lofton*

- The Children's Holiday Party takes place on December the 2<sup>nd</sup> at McWhorter Army Reserve Center. Please come out and take part in the holiday season. This will be a fun event for all with lots of good food and great company.

- Thank you for the generous contributions for deployed Soldiers. Through your support, almost \$350 was donated for this cause. Care packages were put together for our deployed Soldiers and we anticipate having a second round of care packages going in December to the additional Soldiers deploying when we know their address.

- With Christmas and New Years around the corner, many of us will be on the road to see our loved ones. Please be safe and exercise defensive driving when traveling on the highways. Vehicle accidents are still the number one cause of Soldier deaths other than combat and we have been fortunate so far. Take your time during your travels, be safe, and return home refreshed.

- In closing, let's never forget our comrades deployed in harms way fighting the global

war on terrorism; keep them in your thoughts and prayers. Again, thanks for all that you

**Congratulations to MAJ Romano (AGS), SGM Davis (RRS), SGM Mathis (RRS), MSG Floyd (TDD), SFC Ebanks-Joyner (TDD), SFC Scarcelli (RRS), and SSG Vincent (FIS) on their recent promotions. Also, congratulations to LTC Brown (FIS), SFC Gingles (RRS), SFC Wentz (RRS), SFC Gish (RRS), SFC Bogetti (RRS), SFC Smith, Ken (RRS), and SFC Landrau (RRS) on their recent selection for promotion.**

Welcome To The Review

*This newsletter is established to provide information for Soldiers, DA civilians and family members from the multitude of units that make up the Training Support Battalion. Please take time to review this issue. Any comments or recommendations can be sent to CPT Grant Robitzsch at 751-8755 or [Virgil.G.Robitzsch@us.army.mil](mailto:Virgil.G.Robitzsch@us.army.mil)*

## Family Readiness Group

The FRG offers family and relevant information to spouses and provides a chain of concern network to all family members. This ensures that spouses are more aware of events occurring within the organization. Also, spouses can act independent of the military chain of command to help and inform each other.

What can the FRG do for you? Informal network, spouses get together, etc. Let us know.

The FRG is currently accepting nominations for the leader and assistant leader positions. Contact Schaine Brents at

schaine.brents@us.army.mil  
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# Combined Federal Campaign



The Campaign began August the 29<sup>th</sup> and runs through December the 15<sup>th</sup>. We have had a very successful campaign. Keep up the effort, our goal is 100% contacted. Point of contact is CPT John Nemo at 751-3634.

The Fort Jackson Enlisted Spouses' Association will meet on December the 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. in building 4448 (corner of Jackson and Gregg). All E1 through E9 Active duty, National Guard, Reserves, and Retirees are invited. For more information contact Tonya Winters at 665-4170 or e-mail at esa2005fj@yahoo.com.

SGM Neifert (FIS) is the SSI Commissary/AAFES representative and attends the Post quarterly meeting. Please contact SGM Neifert, at judith.neifert@us.army.mil or 751-8064, with feedback that she can address at the meeting.

**CONGRATULATIONS!!**  
Mrs. Carla Schuyler and CPT Bill Schuyler (FIS) are the proud parents of a new baby boy. Ian Curtis was born (5 lbs. 4 oz. & 19.5"), on November the 5<sup>th</sup>. Even though he arrived four weeks early, both Carla and Ian are doing well.

• SPC Brandy Sharpe (NCOA) and her husband, Alex, are the proud parents of a new baby boy. Yanni Edmond Theodorous was

born (8 lbs. 5 oz. & 21"), on November the 11<sup>th</sup>. Yanni and Alex are doing fine.

**FRG Chain of Command:**  
NCOA--- Etris      RRS--- SFC Smith  
FIS--- Jackie Gudehus      AGS--- Vacant  
TDD--- Vacant      TSB--- Schaine Brents

## FREE DELIVERY

If you would like the **Readiness Review** delivered to your personal home e-mail address, please call CPT Grant Robitzsch at 751-8755 or e-mail him at Virgil.G.Robitzsch@us.army.mil and provide your address.



## NEW ARRIVALS

Welcome to all who have arrived since our last newsletter

**RRS**  
SFC Davis

**TDD**  
CPT Rivera  
SSG Godwin

**TSB**  
SFC Goodwin  
PFC Thompson

**NCOA**  
SFC Troutman  
CPL Clark

**AGS**  
LTC Smoot  
MAJ Mew  
CW2 Robinson  
SFC Pinckney-Todd

**AITD**  
SSG Swatzell

**"Soldiers are our credentials"**



## Voting



Let us all take advantage of our opportunity to vote in this country. Even though the general election is over, you can (and should) register to vote. Local elections occur every year.

**Register to vote!** SSI Voting Officer:  
CPT John Nemo 751-3634

## TSB FRG LEADERS:

FRG Officers are needed for next year. Anyone interested can contact Schaine Brents at [sbrents@netscape.com](mailto:sbrents@netscape.com).

Leader:      Accepting nominations  
Assistant Leader:      Accepting nominations  
Funds Custodian:      CPT Joe Chretien

Secretary:      SSG Andrea Joyner  
Military Liaison:      CPT Tina Yarbough

Public Affairs:      CPT Grant Robitzsch

**When's the next FRG Meeting?!**  
FRG Advisor:      Schaine Brents

There are no FRG meetings in December or January. The next FRG meeting is **Tuesday, February the 7<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. in the Battalion Classroom.** Everyone is welcome to come, socialize, and participate. Refreshments are provided gratis to attendees.